APPENDIX A - BUSINESS QUESTIONNAIRE WITH RESULTS - South Grand Parking Study

| 1. The Grand Business District should be a regional destination spot for people outside of the neighborhood to visit. 4.67 | strongly disagree | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | strongly agree |
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| 2. Bus stops in the business district along Grand Boulevard should be consolidated to increase the number of parking spaces available 2.64 | strongly disagree | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | strongly agree |
| 3. Bumper curbs, which extend the curbs out into the intersections, should be constructed to minimize the distance for pedestrians to cross Grand Blvd. 2.69 | strongly disagree | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | strongly agree |
| 4. Funds should be spent to increase lighting in the South Grand Business District. 4.3 | strongly disagree | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | strongly agree |
| 5. More streets intersecting Grand Boulevard should be made one-way to traffic to allow for angled parking on both sides of the street. 3.1 | strongly disagree | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | strongly agree |
| 6. Restaurants should have valet parking during peak hours. 2.69 | strongly disagree | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | strongly agree |
| 7. I would be willing to lease well-designed and landscaped off-street parking from adjacent residences for employees. 1.83 | strongly disagree | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | strongly agree |
| 8. There should be a higher density, urban style mix of business uses in the business district. 3.05 | strongly disagree | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | strongly agree |
| 9. If permitted, business owners should be able to purchase residential property adjacent to the business district and build well-designed and landscaped parking areas to buffer commercial uses such as professional offices or art studios. 3.17 | strongly disagree | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | strongly agree |
| 10. The South Grand Business District should serve only people in the neighborhoods surrounding it. 1.5 | strongly disagree | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | strongly agree |
| 11. I would be willing to share the cost to create more parking in the business district by constructing a parking garage. 1.5 | strongly disagree | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | strongly agree |
| 12. I would be willing to share the cost to create more parking in the business district by creating more surface parking. 1.6 | strongly disagree | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | strongly agree |
| 13. Check the space that best reflects your thoughts on demolishing houses to create parking (assuming lots would be well-maintained with fences and adequate landscaping.) | 14. Check the space that best reflects your thoughts on demolishing commercial buildings on Grand Blvd. to create parking (assuming lots would be well-maintained with fences and adequate landscaping.) | | | | | | |
| 6% Houses should never be demolished. 23% It would be acceptable to demolish houses in poor condition. 23% It would be acceptable to demolish houses with little or no historic value. 43% It would be acceptable to demolish a few houses if it is part of a comprehensive parking plan. 6% It is acceptable to demolish a few houses as parking needs dictate. | 8% Commercial buildings should never be demolished. 28% It would be acceptable to demolish commercial buildings that are in poor condition. 14% It would be acceptable to demolish commercial buildings that are vacant. 42% It would be acceptable to demolish a few commercial buildings if it is part of a comprehensive parking plan. 8% It is acceptable to demolish a few commercial buildings as parking needs dictate. | | | | | | |